### Of the Board of Mayor and Aldermon VOLUME XLV. of the City of Jackson.

depresents, the name to whom door of the City stall in said city, unless the manher of goals. Five days notice of the time and place of the mid property at public auction for each to the highest brider, and in addition to the amount and keeping the property, and one dollar for such scizure and sale. If the property bring

three weeks in some new-paper published in or ment roll, in substance as follows: Name of Owner | Des. of Land | Amount of Tax. arain unpaid, the Collector shall proceed to will said lands to pay the arms at of taxes due the seon, and all costs, damages and charges, at pu lic medion to the highest hidder for cash, at such sale shall be continued, from day to day within the hours for Sheroffs sales until comple ted. If upon offering the land for sale there i not bid the full amount of the taxes and all

sales the Collector shall execute conveyances to the purchasers, which shall be in the form or to the effect following: "I — Tax Collector of "the city of Jackson have this day according to haw sold the following land situated in said beity, to wir, there describe it) for the taxes asd how lever two head valued at a became the highest and best bidder at the sum of - dollars. I therefore convey "said fund to said \_\_\_\_\_\_ his herrs and as-"sign forever, Given under my hand the \_\_\_

City Clerk all conveyances made by him to pu "- rat such tax sales, there to remain for

the person that have accrued thereon since said sale and amount paid, and note such redemption on his register with the date and amount paid which said register, said elerk is hereby directed to full the properties of all the properties of the said elerk shall pay over to those

person, and the same may be so purchased b paying to the City Clerk, the amount of taxe to which the same was sold and all costs inci-dent to such sale, and all taxes and costs ac-

of Mayor and Aldermen that the "privilege tax ordinance of the city of Jackson, adopted Octofrom and after the adoption hereof. writing, notify the owner or occupant to a proper, and in case they shall immediately cleans, disinfect and purify the same with all the same, or either, as he may consider the next grant jury of the 1st Discounty.

44. Each agency established for sewing machines, twenty-five dollars, case requires; and after a reasonable time for compliance with such order, such policeman for each established agency, five dollars. and r-valuation was made willfully immediately cleans, disinfect and purify city for the non-payment of taxes the Mayor whether such order has been com-

sold for all tages due thersen for that and evicus years.

See 5. The President and Cashier of every for the purpose and have such premises 49. On each transier mules, fifteen dollars.

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49. On each real estate that and evicus years. k of which is taxable shall on or lay of June in each year deliver stor a written statement unappin stock paid in and its marry unappin stock paid in an and its marry unappin stock paid in an appin stock paid in a or other joint stack companies, ck of which is taxable shall on or issue a warrant for the arrest of said owner ket value, and on failure to furnish the same the tax shall be needed on the whole control of the principle for all dearwest and collected on the whole control of the principle for all the principle for the principle for the principle for the principle for the presentation in the British Parliament, and delicens and the principle for all dearwest and collected on the whole control of the principle for all the principle for the presentation in the British Parliament, and the past and all control of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the principle for all dearwest and the principle for all dearwest and shall are the principle for all dearwest and shall are the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for the delinquent tax-payer, and shall are the principle for all dearwest and shall are the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the value of the principle for all dearwest and shall are the principle for all dearwest and shall are the principle for the delinquent tax-payer, and shall are the principle for the princip

the person, and shall cause such dog to be registered in the office of the City Clerk, in a book size of the leliver his assessment rolls as directed, or same shall not be approved by the Board, from said clerk a written permit or license to one year, twenty-five dollars.

if the same shall not be approved by the Board, the Board may by resolution appoint some suitable person to proceed immediately to make the assessment and return it as speedily as possible, and within such time as the Board shall prescribe before the lat day of September if prescribe before the lat day of September if practicable; and whenever the same shall be made the Board shall immediately assemble to placed upon a collar and put on the dog by the son paying a tax, which is for said the Board shall immediately assemble to made the Board shall immediately assemble to placed upon a collar and put on the dog by the placed upon a collar and put on the dog by the owner thereof; Provided, That no stamp or receive and examine the same and appoint owner thereof; Provided, That no stamp or tag shall be issued for tax on a female dog, nor shall they be permitted to run at large tions thereto and publish notice therof.

Sec. 11. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen within the city limits. Dogs shall not be permitted to run at large of the mayor tag shall sate permitted to run at large of the month, five dollars.

63. On each eating stand, lunch house, or any place where snacks are sold, thirty-five dollars.

Suc. 7. Be it further enacted, That the mayor tag shall be issued for tax on a female dog, nor shall they be permitted to run at large of the month, five dollars.

64. Same for three months, ten dollars.

65. Same for one month, five dollars.

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shall assemble on the 1st Monday in August except in the event provided for in section 10 hereof) to examine the assessment and to hear and determine objections thereto, and shall sit from day to day until the same shall be disposed of and all proper corrections made; and When approved the sail assessment and to hear stand and to hear approved the sail assessment and to hear and determine objections thereto, and shall sit from day to day until the same shall be disposed of and all proper corrections made; and When approved the sail assessment and to hear stand on the limits of said city, without a tag or stand and shall sit for one and the sail option of the public places, streets, avenues or alleys within the limits of said city, without a tag or stand and the sail option of the public places, streets, avenues or alleys within the limits of said city, without a tag or stand and the sail option. On each vendor of ice cream in the streets for one month, five dollars.

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JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI, WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1882.

property is (a) cumbers one to be payed, whenit shall be made where the property is located.

sale shall be given by advertisements or written

notices, put up in three public places in said esty, she of which shall be said eastern door of the City Hall. On the day and at the place so

taxes and ton per cent, damages thereon, he ball collect and retain the expenses of comoving

nore than enough to just the same the excess dual he paid over to the former owner.

or sale at the front, Eastern, door of the Hall in said city on the 1st Monday in Mare

following, such advertisement to be inserved for

On sold is! Monday in March, if the taxes re-

SEC. 12. After the expiration of the one ve-

Sec. 21. Be it further ordained by the

shall again visit such premises and report to

sell and personal property in all real to be appeared from the control of the first the same and real to be appeared from the control of the first the same and sale of any property liable the real for the cases. See any sale of any property liable therefor, such sale of any property liable therefore.

dollars and fifty cents:

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Where the stock exceeds ten thousand dollars but never twelve thousand dollars, fifteen the person or persons holding such license have dollars, a fixed place of business, said license shall be

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The petition of Jacques Braun, to retail vinou and spiritness liquors, was presented, receive

On motion the Board adjourned to meet Fri

LAWS

-OF THE-

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Hickory in the county of Newton.

of section thirty-six, township six, range twelve east, lying in said county of Newton. Sec. 2. Be it further enacted. That the elective officers of said town shall be on-

myor, four aidermen and one marshal, who

their respective offices for the term of two

may commission the parties elected as mayor

stable for the said district, and be vested with all the powers which belong to constables by the constitution and laws of this State; and

the said mayor and marshal shall, respectively be liable to all obligations and penalties im

ied voters who have actually resided within

States, shall be eligible to any office

months previous to any election, who ar

be the duty of the mayor and each of raid

Secreon 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature

M. M. McLEOD, City Clark.

here but mover twenty-five thousand dollars; Where the stock exceeds premy-five thousand and fifed. Where the stock exceeds tackey have dollars, day, May 5th, 1882, day, May 5th, 1882.

JOHN McGILL, Mayor. your said Collector shall advertise ad land in forty-two dollars and fifty cents.
Where the stock exceeds this ty-five thousand

Sec. 17. After the 15th day of January in each our said Collector shall advertise at I land in bu never fifty-thousand fifty doclars. Persons desiring licenses under the foregoing provisions shall estimate their stocks un-der outh, and in so doing shall be governed by said city, and shall contain a list of the lands to the largest amount on hand at my time during the and in the order they appear in said assessment roll, in substance as follows: tentionally or through mistake, shall be liable to re assessment at any time before the expiraion of his or her liceuse 2. On each distillery of grain, one hundred,

3. On each insurance agent, five dollars. 4. On each billiard or Jenny Lind cable, niner ten pin alley, or shallar contrivance, kept for public use, eventy-five dollars. 5. On each trading boat, with produce, prorisions and prevender, exclusively, twenty 6, On each wharf-boot, fifty dollars. cours and charges, the collector shall strike off the same to the "City of Jackson." At such

8. On each tavern or listel, with capacity for wenty-five or more guests, twenty-seven dollars and fifty contact 9. On such tovern or hotel, with encounty for

less than twenty-live guests, twenty duthers, 10. On each private or nubble boarding-house two dothers and fifty cents. 11. On each restaurant, twenty dellars, 12, the each circus or menagerie, or both combined, for each day's performance, fifty

16. On each quelioneer, fifteen dollars.

17. On each puddler, on foot, two dollars and r other animal, five dollars.

19. On each peddler, hoese or mule ar other

and aldermen and marshal; provided, the

hiele, twelve dollars and fifty cents.

2). On each cotton broker or factor, engaged buying and selling cotton, and not licensed a werehant, seven dollars and fifty cents.

2). Each public cotton weigher, where less or of said town shall be ex-officion justice of as a merchant, seven dollars and fifty cents, 22. Each public catton weigher, where less than two thousand bales are weighed, two dol-

lars and fifty cents.

27 Over two thousand and less than four thousand bales, five dollars.

24. Over four thousand and loss than five constitution and laws of this State, and the marshal of said town shall be ex-officio a constitution and laws of this State, and the marshal of said town shall be ex-officio a constable for the said district, and be vested with all the powers which belong to constable by 20. Over ten thousand bales, fiffeen dollars, by the constitution and laws of this State, by the constitution and laws of this State.

lars and fifty cents.

29. Each browery, or establishment for the manufacture or bottling of ale, beer, soda or mineral water, ten dollars. 30 Each pawn broker or firm, afty dollars. 31. Each established broker keeping an office

52. Each street broker, twelve dollars and officers. Each drug store shall be subject to the sun

eater quantity, seventy-five dollars, 35. Each practicing lawyer, five dollars.

fix the value thereof as Said Assessorshall assess, and if his request fix the value thereof as Said Assessorshall assess, and if his request fix the value thereof as time for doing the same, he shall again visit fix he had again visit for element; they shall have power to license, Rev. Mr. Calloway, the Methodist Ministers property of all non-residents of has not been complied with, he shall report the and lifty cents.

and flourd will examine and facts to the Mayor, who shall investigate the 42. On each dealer in ale, heer or other mait

43. On each soda fountain, five dollars.

46. Each photograph gallery, five dollars. 47. On each livery, feed or sales stables

48. On each transient vendor of horses of

61. On each dealer in ice, fifty dollars

62. On each retail liquor saloon or bar, hundred dollars.

cient, conditioned for the faithful performance

of his duties, and the rightful disbursement of

each, conditioned for the faithful discharge of dollars their duties before entering upon the enumerated in this ordinance, he or she shall

THE WEEKLY CLARION.

of the State of Mississippi, That the rown of Hickory, in the county of Newton, State of Mississippi, be and the same is hereby incor- In fact it is absurd to suppose that any act oraled, and the corporate limits of said town of the legislature viewed either in a party ball be as follows, to wit: The boundary line sense or otherwise binds the press to an acfree and fair discussion of all the acts of our Legislature whether they affect the inshall be elected by the qualified electors there terests of individuals only, or the great eat representative in Congress or choose at the election of said town, to be held at material or political interests of the whole another. the mayor's office of said town bicantially on people. We do not expect to find intalli-the first Monday of March, and shall hold bility in any representative body and be held to a strict accom-

tion of the laws. the justice of the peace who shall have held the first election herein provided for, shall so Southern Districts: the Northern District is subdivided into eastern and west-

trict Court to be held each year at Aberdeen and Oxford; but one staff of court officers is provided for the Northern District, who shall officiate in both divisions of court. The bill is a purely local question, and

as it does not conflict with a general poliey, and is not opposed by any of the Mississippi delegation, we presume it will pass the House without opposition.

## Byram Correspondence.

organical by this act of incorporation, and be Sic. 5, Be it further enacted. That it shall Each drug store shall be subject to the same to the first of the same and the marsual, before he enters tax as other stores, and shall obtain liceuse in the same manner, and may sell vinous or spiritually and the marsual, before he enters the same manner, and may sell vinous or spiritually and the discharge of the daties of his office to the daties of his office the daties of his office to the daties of his office to t tered by any officer authorized to administer did present rather a bobtailed appearancebut I in my extreme charitableness, laid all or and aldermen shall constitute a body cor-posate by the name and style of the mayor and tor's natural propensity for curtailing, for a thousand times, No ! aldermon of the town of flickory, and by that pame may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in all saisis lawor equity; they shall have power to enact any and all by-laws, rules, and ordinances not contrary to the constitute of my aspirations and ambitions. Pearl and ordinances not contrary to the constitu-tion of the United States or the State of River is now surging along, exactly even it is not the United States or the State of Mississippi, or the laws thereof, that they may deem nearessary for the 36. Each command, fifty dollars.

36. Each command, fifty dollars.

37. On each deniest five dollars.

38. On each civil engineer or architect, five dollars.

39. On each civil engineer or architect, five dollars.

39. Each gas company, fifty dollars.

30. Each practice glawyer, five dollars.

30. Each command of the United States or the State of Mississippi, or the laws thereof, that they may deem nearessary for the good government of each town, and to good government of each town, and to good government of each town, and to good government of each town, and the fourth and Fifth districts only lack 6,506 of having as many popular consent, or whether they will be said town; if the fourth shall cause the same to be published in said town; if the guestion definitely, whether political with its banks and will, in the next twenty-the accommand the Sixth of the guestion definitely, whether political with its banks and will be required to come into office approach of the fourth and fifth districts only lack 6,506 of having as many popular consent, or whether they will be not the fourth and fifth districts only lack 6,506 of having as many allowed to enter through some dark, narrow allowed to enter the some allo

the same to be posted in three public places tation, is surely growing wiser and bettertax, regulate or refuse all shows of whatever upon this circuit is a young man of are to be found in the other districts, description; such tax or license not to exceed upon this circuit is a young man of are to be found in the other districts, may." lacts to the Mayor, who shall investigate the same is in an if satisfied that the same is in an inhealthy or uncleanly condition he shall, in dealer, twenty-five dollars.

42. On each dealer in ale, beer or other malt description; such tax or license not to exceed twenty-five dollars for any one performance or exhibit on; they shall have nower to lave. or exhibit on; they shall have power to levy, coupled with an unfaltering devotion figures before you, I appeal to your candid and personal esiste situated, beld, owned or possessed in the corporate limits of said town labeleted State taxes of not exceeding twenty-five personant esiste situated, beld, owned or labeleted State taxes of not exceeding twenty-five personant esiste situated, beld, owned or large solution, he has brought light out darkness and has placed the Methodist or the claims of justice in framing the disconnected which is received your merited scorn and contempt, and you should see to it that the standard of political morals and public virtue is not church at this place that the standard of political morals and public virtue is not church at this place that the standard of political morals and public virtue is not church at this place that the standard of political morals and public virtue is not church at this place. church at this place upon a more exalted and permanent plane than it has occupied tion of said taxes by distress, execution and sale, or otherwise; and in case of the sale of for years before. The Sabbath School, un real estate and personalty for said taxes, such der the watchful guidance of that accom-sale shall have the force and offect of sales plished christian lady, Mrs. F. C. Tynes, is made under the laws of this State regulating in a most flourishing condition, and is or thesales of property for taxes; and the mayor full complement of officers, teachers, etc .deliver the same to the city Clark, the clerk of said Board of Mayor and Aldermen, on or be said Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and the same manner as in case of an unclean or fifthy promises, and the Mayor of the lest. Most winer the same shall remain until the lest. Most with any assessment, after the same in all proceed in Mayor and Aldermen, and are seeding fifty deliars for any offense or imprisonment not exceeding fift SEC. 22. Every owner or person keeping any day or and Addermen, may file his objections dayor and Addermen, may file his objections in August with said clerk, which objections and August with said clerk, which objections and all the preserved with the rolls and presented there will be preserved with to the Board when it proceeds to finter the same of the same.

SEC. 22. Every owner or person keeping any dog or dogs, that run at large within the corporate limits of said city, shall annually on the last day of February in each year pay to the last day of February in each year pay to the said fine and costs shall have been liquidated; the mayor and aldermen may make such regulations as shall be necessary for the safe that the same of the same.

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SEC. 22. Every owner or person keeping any dog or dogs, that run at large within the corporate limits of said city, shall annually on the last day of February in each year pay to the of one dollars. So, On each dray or eart hauting for profit or of one dollar and a half per day for wages, the said fine and costs shall have been liquidated; the mayor and aldermen may make such regulations as shall be necessary for the safe ing I wish my friend abundant success in his new calling.

Sec. 22. Every owner or person keeping any dog or dogs, that run at large within the corporate limits of said city, shall annually on the said town, until at the rate of one dollars. So, On each dray or eart hauting for profit or of one dollars as a tax of the person wages, the said fine and costs shall have been liquidated; the mayor and aldermen may make such regulations as shall be necessary for the safe in the cost of the perso or public works of said town, until at the rate of one dollar and a half per day for wages, the said fine and costs shall have been liquidated; the mayor and aldermen may make such regions. She must be a little old now, notwithstand-difference instead of 66,782 in your district, particle more of the obstreperous than the Raymond Gazette: or and attermen, and their successors in of-fice in such penalty as they may deem suffi-

Judge Houston yesterday announced udgment in favor of the defendant in the persons subject to work on the public roads. Senac sued the defendant for divorce. The and residents of said town, to labor on the case is a very romantic one. A number of streets thereof not exceeding ten days in any years ago he left his young wife and two one year, or may accept in lieu of said work children and went abroad. He correspondposed of and all proper corrections made; and when approved the said carefully preserved by the said assessment rolls shall be in a said carefully preserved by the said rolls, when approved the said carefully preserved by the said rolls, when approved the said carefully preserved by the said rolls, when a record in his other, and rolls and carefully preserved by the said rolls, when a record in his other, and such person shall be exampt from his wife ceases for three years, when suddenly road duty elsewhere, and upon any or all such his wife ceases from the last day of October following in each year, under a ponal-are kept for sale, or wagon selling the same by retail in his other can decline to work, and such person shall be exempt from his wife ceases for said, and such person shall be exempt from his wife ceases from the last day of July and the 1st day of October following in each shop where fresh butchers' meats are kept for saile, or wagon selling the same by retail in the said carefully preserved by the said rolls, said, and such person shall be exempt from his wife ceases from the last day of July and the 1st day of October following in each year, under a ponal-are kept for saile, or wagon selling the same by retail in the said carefully preserved by the said several years, when she married John was informed of his wife ceases such and such person shall be exempt from his wife ceases for one could not such that the said several years work, are was informed of his day of October following in each year, when she married John was informed and approved for her lost husband and conclusive as to the assessments as the ceach shall be exempt from his wife ceach day is work or pay one dollar person selling to refusing a for three years, when said and the last day of July and the 1st day of July and t passed of small all proper corrections made; and proper correct made and proper correct mad

The Accountability of the Agent to His Principal.

loings. Free criticism may in some degree, check reckless legislation, and is sure to equal number of inhabitants. give the people a clearer and better concep-The Senate has passed the bill dividing Mississippi into judicial disof holding United States District Courts in the Northern District.

he one or the other.

he Fifth, your district.

but never three thousand five hundred dol.
Lars, five dollars
Lars, fi equalize the inhabitants of the several diswhere the stock exceeds five thousand dollars, ten dollars but never neven thousand dollars, ten dollars the stock exceeds seven thousand dollars, ten dollars the stock exceeds seven thousand dollars, ten dollars but never ten thousand dollars, twelve the stock exceeds seven thousand dollars, twelve the stock exceeds the thousand dollars and fifty cents.

SEC. 5. The several taxes levied under the duties of their respective offices.

SEC. 6. The several taxes levied under the duties of their respective offices.

SEC. 14. Be it further enacted. That this net take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 16, 1882. prompted the act.

First, then, as to the territorial necessity

A glance at the map of the district shows that neither its contiguity, compactness, nor symmetry was improved by leaving out Madison county; but, on the contrary, by Dr. Hunter in his Crystal Springs were entirely cut off from the remaining Monitor, laws down some abstract truths counties; and to bring them together again on the accountability of the representand secure a right of way around Madison on the accountability of the representative, no matter what station he occurred to the country was detached from her old prove it. It was not considered and discussion of the House on the prove it. It was not considered and discussion of the House on the prove it.

the Legislature is not the party; nor do its requirements of the law as to contiguous

their respensive offices for the term of two years from the time of their election and until the same time we feel that although legisla-their successors are elected and qualified; then cannot be perfect the law-givers ought quire that Congressmen shall be elected by

and containing as nearly as practicable ar Why this requirement of law? Obviousy for the reason that a like number of people in one district should have the same roice in Congress as a like number in another. Equality of rights is the great corper-stone of our government, and any violatricts and fixing times and places tion of this principle strikes at the very

oundation of our institutions. Keeping in view, then, the law on the ubject, and this great fundamental princide of government, let us see how far the iends of this district bill have respected

Take, for instance, your new Fifth disrict, and the late census shows that it conains 192,642 inhabitants, while the Sixth district adjoining it one side has only 125,-860, a difference of 66,782, or nearly oneaird less; and the Taird district on another de, and adjoining, has only a population d 129,910, a difference of 62,732. Under his bill, then, two persons in the smaller istricts, the Third and Sixth, have the ame voice in Congress as three persons in

Why this inequality? Are they better itizens or more cheerful tax-payers than ourselves? What good reason can be offered why one out of every three citizens in two districts should be virtually disfranchised? Is it fair or just that your repre-sentative, with 192,642 people at his back,

But the Fifth is not the only district for another? which has been grievously wronged in this The late census shows that the Fourth

Fourth, Fifth, and Seventh, three in number, have more people in them by 4,045 than meet, and require every office-seeker to or the claims of justice in framing the districts? Indeed, have they not grossly and inexcusably violated both? They have virginized by induring the slightest net of political legerdemain. tually disfranchised one-third of the people in two districts, and yet they are called upon regularly to pay their taxes.

Our fathers went to war with England the high road to its old time prestige, with because they were taxed without being allowed representation in the British Parlie

either to secure contiguous territory, or to majorities of other counties, but in the rangement which did not. This was the upon a careful examination of these points at least two districts, the Fourth and Sixth, members of the committee when sought by at least two districts, the Fourth and Sixta, have to some extent been jeopardized by this bill, all of which might have been easite avoided.

The avoided in the second in the second is any member in the avoided.

After an examination of the whole bill in any direction, there existed no numerical, territorial, or political necessity for such a gerrymandering bill, but that each of these considerations have been neglected, even outraged?

But a few worders to history and respect to the Committee belonging to the House, repaired the being with this unmany, sometimes have been raised, it into for the committee without a dissent-But a few words as to history and passage to this bill. It came into the Legislature during the last days of the session: was

we do not subscribe to any such new-fan-gled notion, for the very good reasons that the Legislature is not the party; nor do its against in the shape given to it by its golf-fathers. It was forced through the House any law redistricting the State it was im-

> shows that on the final vote there were on-ly nineteen of the thirty-cight Senators— at its last sitting. After satisfactory expla-mation by the Chairman of the House Comhe facts attending the accouchment of the the adoption of a substitute for the entire ral of those were Republicans. These are

My indistment is not against the whole Legislature, nor against all who voted for the bill but against its originators and managers, who severally had axes to grind, and turned the crimitators for each other.

But more than this is true, as Cot Singular and the control of the ellow-members.

figures of this case, can you find any reason or motive for disconnecting Madison county from her old associates, except it was to sever the ties which had so long and pleasantly bound us together as constituents and Representative? Is not the conclusion forced upon you, however reluctant you may be party which could have been devised; but the received; that the Democratic party which could have been devised; but

Byram, Mrss., May 8th, 1882.

Editors Clarion: A kind lady friend, upon reading my first letter to you, remarked that if she "could'nt write a more sensible article than that, she'd shave her head and go and be a baby again" and in very truth the aforementioned communication did present rather a bobtailed appearance—

sentative, with 192,642 people at his back, should only have the same voice in Congress says in Congress as the men who represent only 125,850 people in the discharge, of his official duties, should only have the same voice in Congress as the men who represent only 125,850 people in the discharge, of his official duties, or failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every encroachment? Has been an act of his life that was not loyal to the people of Mississippi? Has been an act of his bill say yes.

Fellow-citizens, are you willing to need their only in another?

Fellow-citizens, are you willing to need their in the discharge, of his official duties, or failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every encroachment? Has been and to find the discharge of a public duty if we failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every been an act of his life that was not loyal to the people of Mississippi? Has be not ment that night, I declared I should support the did not all, and the discharge, of his official duties, or failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every encroachment? Has been an act of his life that was not loyal to the people of Mississippi? Has be done must be done must be discharge of a public duty if we failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every been an act of his life that was not loyal to the people of Mississippi? Has be done must be discharge of a public duty if we failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every encroachment? Has be done must be discharge of a public duty if we failed to guard your interests, as far as he could, against every encroachment? Has be done must be disc gress, fought their battles, upheld their stanand love of fair play, I believe you will dard, and stood firmly to principle? Why, suswer as with the voice of a trampst, No!

Fellow-citizens, you will soon have au apportunity in your county and district present representative from the 4th district conventions, which I trust you will not full his elected to pursue towards me? district has a population of 195,743, making to attend, to give expression to your views people in them as three others, namely, the First, Third, and Sixth, and that the way, or climb over some back walt. This To put this whole matter at real

The intrigue and management by which does that which is unworthy of one engaged Now, my fellow-citizens, with these Hayes got into the Presidential office re-In conclusion, fellow-citizens, to vindicate myself against what I consider personal in-

justice, and to battle, as, I have ever done, publishes the following : for what I believe to be your rights, I have taken an appeal from the late act of the Legislature to you, the savereign people, who must decide whether I am right or the Fayette Caroniele. In passing, I drop wrong. To your decision, whatever it may you a line to say the cirs were boarded last oe, I will bow without a murmur.

I have changed my citizenship to Scott Within two weeks we will have communion county, where I have owned and paid taxes over a bottle of champagne in my town, and

on landed estate for eighteen years, and now our good friend, Allen T. Bowie, will be present myself as a candidate for Congress with us. n your district, subject to your will as it may be expressed in your district convention. Respectfully, Your fellow-citizen,

The blatant outcries of Col. O. R. Single- and Hinds, are now muted by iron. ton over the cruelty of the Legislature in ind 69,875 in the Fourth.

It is apparent, then, that the parties reit proper to give them more than a cursory

N. & J. R. B., you would have been deto appoint a secretary who shall be treasurer of said corporation, to prescribe his duties and take from him a bond payable to said may
Enoch Arden—He Behaves in This

sponsible for this bill had no eye to equality and an amused attention. His scurrillous lighted to see another embryo town if you attacks in his former letters, published and had turned in at the premises of H. Lowry, when they framed and passed it. Not only unpublished, on the Democratic Legislature about half way between Raymond and Utica Instance in a Very Unpoetic Way, the plain letter of the law of Congress, but of the State that had so long honored him. The name of the town is Lowry, given in the broad principles of equal rights among were only calculated to alienate from him honor of its venerable and worthy founder the sturdy constituency of the faithful rep- and one of the truest and best men in Hinds There is but one other plausible excuse resentatives he sought to medign. These county, who has lived there for more than which could be urged in defence of this chosen representatives—the Senators and thirty years. The streets, blocks and lots and aldermen shall have power to require all case of Leon Senac vs. Theresa Rivera. Mr. strange bill, and that is, that the districts members of the House who supported the are all laid off, and I think the day is not were made more reliably Democratic. Was Apportionment in Committee and in the far distant when it will be the joy of the this the controlling moffive of the origina- Senate and House-were neither tricksters whole community. Buildings are going up tors of this bill? Quite the contrary will nor jugglers, nor parties to a disgraceful constantly, and already two store-houses appear upon examination into the facts of gerrymander, nor were they the ignorant, have been finished, one of which would do the case. Take the Fifth and contiguous unsuspecting and pliant tools of corrupt credit to a town of five thousand inhabit districts and see how far and in what way aspirants. Such scandalous charges, so far tants. There is also a black-mith and wood they have been affected by the reorganiza- as directed against myself, I passed with shop, steam mill and gin, and three resi-

I was not a member of the Congressional apportionment committee. I was never before or near the committee. I never in any way interfered, or endeavored to interfore with the committee in its protracted labors, extending through weeks. If my wish had controlled in the matter of the apportionment, totally disregarding all past districting, we should have had two disand the same of the City of Jackson.

According to the City of Jackson and Jac tricts overwhelmingly colored, and five Seventh may turn the scales and lose us at Precess ground taken by myself in the three member in Congress. It is clear then that or four brief conversations I had with the

> the light of truth and reason, and not of passion or prejudice, who will not say it is full of incongruities and blunders? that here existed no numerical and plunders? pies, to the people, which we cordially endorse:
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> It is a strange degma that some of our Democratic contemporaries are promulgating, viz: That the acts of the Legislature are to be regarded as party measures, and therefore improper subjects for criticism by the party press. It is needes to say that the acts of the other counties composing the party press. It is needes to say that we do not surjectible to any such powers.
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> Attala county was detached from her old district and placed in the Fifth.
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> By this move the contiguity of territory was restored; but who that can trace the lines of a map will not say that this territory are to be regarded as party measures, and therefore improper subjects for criticism by the party press. It is measured from her old district and placed in the Fifth.
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> By this move the contiguity of territory was not considered and discussed in the House as its importance demands of the House as its interportance demands of the House as its importance demands of the House as the interport of the committee in charge of the bill was called up by Jacky Ferral, who had is now, a pronounced candidate for Congress. The previous question demands of the House as its importance demands of the House as its in the House as its importance demands of the House as its in t the Legislature is not the party; nor do its measures always reflect the sentiments of the law as to contiguous the party; nor have its members any commission from the people that places them beyond the reach of a rigid responsibility. Its framers and manipulators dare not offer these as an excuse for the legislature viewed either in a party sense or otherwise binds the press to an acquiescent silence or compels a formal support. We will not yield the right to a full, free case much more nearly port. We will not yield the right to a full, free and fair discussion of all the acts of free and fair discussion of all the acts of the sent acquirements of the law as to contiguous territory, or that it was done to give better form to the district. Its framers and manipulators dare not offer these as an excuse just 45 hours before adjournment, and after many members had gone home not to return. It recieved 53 votes out of 120, of which the House is composed, lacking 8 of a majority of the whole vote. The record before the was necessary that it simulit be done that night, it must pass the House that night and go to the Senate it was to pass for the acts of the thouse is composed, lacking 8 of a majority of the whole vote. The record before the was necessary to the senate it was to pass for the House is composed, lacking 8 of a majority of the whole vote. The record before the Was necessary that it simulit be done that night, it must persit to the Senate it has night and go to the Senate it that night, it must persit the House is composed, lacking 8 of a majority of the whole vote. The record before the was necessary that it simulit to the district. It is absured to the House it is an extraction of the House is composed. It is not the district. It was no extracted that the senate in the House is composed. It is the House is composed. It is not the House is compo

> terests of individuals only, or the great material or political interests of the whole people. We do not expect to find infaliability in any representative body; but at the same time we feel that although legislar gress giving us an additional member, retion cannot be perfect the law-givers much of the law-givers much o the facts attending the accouchment of the bill as far as they can be collected from the abstract of the journals of the two Houses. I do know I cannot be driven to impeach the motives of a whole Legislature, knowing as I do how often members of such bodies, for want of time to examine and criticise the reports of committees, adopt them by reason of the confidence they repose in their fellow-members.
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> The doubtion of a substitute for the cubir bill. The House promptly refused, by an everwheiming majority, to cateriain Mr. Handy's proposition. Seeing that the vast majority of the House was averse to any change, and that the House was ready to stand by the Committee's bill as reported, I moved the passage of the measure and called the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question was sustained by a vote approach to the previous question.

> > agers, who severally had axes to grind, and turned the grindstone for each other.
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> > Fellow-citizens, a few words personal to myself, and I am done. After a careful review of all the cimcumstances, facts and formulation to recite "the history and passage of this hill." On moving the passage of the bill and for

> > to receive it, that such was the object of that it was the result of weeks of laborious, so, are you prepared to sanction the act, and honest effort on the part of the Committee, so, are you prepared to sanction the act, and and was, in the Committee's judgment, the allow those who took part in it to profit by best plan attainable. In deforance to the their own wrong?
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> > What has your Representative in Congress done to demand such summary expulsion from your presence? Has he ever friendly and the subject than I had, and believing we should be directed in the discharge of a noble dark if we failed to

# The Natchez and Jackson Road.

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Yours. SAM. D. HARPER.

Appended to the above, we got the following note from Conductor Bowic: Rip Van Winkle entered the corporate limits of Utica, Hinds county, on Wednes-Hon. T. H. Woods' Card to the People of the Fifth Congressional District.

| Adams, Jefferson, Claiborne, Copush

mitting to consult his interests and further | And the following items are copied his aspirations in the matter of the late from the postal correspondence of the